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Serial No.: 10/656,001 Examiner: Huy Q. Phan

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Notice of Allowance Date: November 4, 2008

Title : SPATIAL MULTIPLEXING WITH ANTENNA AND CONSTELLATION

SELECTION FOR CORRELATED MIMO FADING CHANNELS

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EXAMINER INTERVIEW SUMMARY OF October 27, 2008 & JANUARY 22, 2009

Examiner Phan is thanked for the telephonic interviews conducted on October 27, 2008 and January 22, 2009. On October 27, 2009, the pending claims were discussed in light of the BPAI decision. An agreement was reached on an Examiner's Amendment to place the claims in condition for allowance as described in the Interview Summary dated November 4, 2008.

On January 22, 2009, the Examiner confirmed that the formal drawings submitted with the application have been accepted.

COMMENTS ON EXAMINER'S REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

It is recognized that in accordance with M.P.E.P. § 1302.14, the Examiner's reasons for allowance need not set forth all of the details as to why the claims are allowed. In the above-referenced application, it is not conceded that the Examiner's stated reasons for allowance are the only reasons for which the claims are allowable. The Examiner's reasons for allowance indicate that particular claim elements are not disclosed or suggested by the prior art of record, yet the claims may be patentable for other reasons as well, including the inventive combination of all of the recited claim elements. It is not conceded that the specific limitations identified by the Examiner are necessary to distinguish the art of record or to satisfy the requirements of 35 U.S.C. § 112. Moreover, the Examiner does not assert, and it would not be conceded, that the

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Examiner's reasons have any bearing on the patentability of claims in any other applications directed to the disclosed subject matter.

In addition, each dependent claim stands on its own and may be allowable on its own merits. In particular, each dependent claim may be allowable on the basis of a combination of some of the features recited in the dependent claim and its base claim(s), which combination of features may not include all of the limitations identified in the Examiner's reasons for allowance.

The fee in the amount of \$1510 is being paid concurrently herewith on the Electronic Filing System (EFS) by way of Deposit Account authorization, and any additional charges or credits, to our Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

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